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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Giannoukakis

Application No. : 09/320,767

Group No.: 1643

Filed : May 27, 1999

Examiner: TBA

For : GENE TRANSFER TO PANCREATIC  $\beta$  CELLS FOR PREVENTION  
OF ISLET DYSFUNCTIONAssistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of two months to October 18, 1999.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:  
  
[x] is filed herewith.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on October 5, 1999.

Attorney Name Carmella L. StephensRegistration No. 41,328Signature Carmella L. StephensDate of Signature October 5, 1999

3. Applicant is

☒ a small entity. A verified statement:

☒ is attached.

☐ was already filed.

☐ other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(1)-(5)):

	<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$ 400.00	\$ 190.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 950.00	\$ 475.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,510.00	\$ 755.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$2,060.00	\$1,030.00

Fee \$ 190.00

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension fee due with this request      \$190.00

5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on October 18, 1999.

6. Fee Payment

☒ Attached is a check in the sum of \$ 255.00 (includes \$65.00 surcharge due for late filing of a Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.16(e))

☒ Charge Account 02-4377 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

[X ] This is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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